



RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

State Fire Training Academy

4 Green Lane, Exeter, RI02822

Telephone: (401) 294-5417 — Fax: (401) 294-5417

Colonel Steven G. O'Donnell
Commissioner, Department of Public Safety
Superintendent, Rhode Island State Police

Mark S. Pare
Director
Division of the State Fire Marshal

DATE: July 1, 2015
TO: Fire Chiefs / Department Training Divisions
FROM: Mark S. Pare, Director
RE: Scheduling RIFA Training Ground Exercises

The Rhode Island State Fire Training Academy continues to invite all fire departments in the state to utilize the fire training grounds in Exeter. Effective July 1, 2015, the Rhode Island Fire Academy's training grounds will be available Monday through Saturday from 0800 – 1600 hours and Monday through Friday from 1800 – 2100 hours.

Requests for time must come from Fire Chiefs or Department Training Divisions. Those individuals should contact Fire Safety Training Officer Albert Heroux by email at Albert.Heroux@sfm.dps.ri.gov and copy Tina.Ahlborg@sfm.dps.ri.gov as well as Mark.Pare@sfm.dps.ri.gov. Requests should be made two weeks in advance of projected training date. The following information must accompany the request:

- 1) Date of training
- 2) Name of department requesting training
- 3) Type of training
- 4) Number of members participating in training
- 5) Signing of all required waiver forms

Upon completion of steps 1 – 5, a confirmation email will be forwarded to the individual requesting training. If a fee is involved, a department P.O. or check must be forwarded to: RIFA, Tina Ahlborg, 4 Green Lane, Exeter, RI 02822, 4 days prior to scheduled date.

SAMPLING OF OFFERINGS:

Live Burn Training	Search Trailer	Confined Space Trailer
Forcible Entry Prop	Car Fire Prop	Propane Fire Prop
Ventilation Training	Large Area Search Prop	Collapsed Building Simulator